

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN JOSE DIVISION

UNITED STATES,
Plaintiff,

v.

WADE MALHAS,
Defendant.

Case No. 19-cv-03709-BLF

**ORDER STAYING CASE; DEFERRING
RULING ON MOTION TO
WITHDRAW**

Today, the Court held a hearing on counsel for Defendant's motion to withdraw. ECF No. 30. The Parties did not object to a stay of the case while the Government considers whether to proceed, given the difficulties in locating a guardian for Defendant.

Accordingly, this case is STAYED until January 7, 2022. No later than that date, the Parties SHALL file a joint status report providing an update on whether the Government will proceed with this case and, if so, whether a guardian for Defendant has been located. The Court defers ruling on the pending motion to withdraw until that time.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 3, 2021



BETH LABSON FREEMAN
United States District Judge